Strategic Initiative Work Plan

2010-11

DESIGN

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Strategic Priority: Time and Space

Goal Area: 21st Century Learning Environment

Focus Area: Flexible Learning

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Goal:

By 2013, the district will provide flexible learning environments that have the capacity and a sustainable support system for abundant and embedded technology as a learning tool. These learning tools will be available to and accessed by all staff and learners, in all curricular areas, through multiple instructional delivery methods including face-to-face learning, e-learning and blended instruction.

Target Objective: A

By 2010, the district will develop strategies to increase awareness and support among staff, students, parents and the broader community regarding the need and the benefits of 21st century learning environments.

#	Target Objective Initiative (full description)	Action Steps	Timeline	Responsible Party	Projected Costs	Fund Source
A1	Initiate levy planning strategies and activities	 Develop communication plan (VPS tech history, success stories, compelling vision and message) 	Aug/Sep	Mike S/Tom H		
		Plan and implement VPS Tech Expo	Nov	Mike S/Todd H	'	ı
		 Articulate building, classroom and student technology layers to support technology as a tool for teaching and learning, communication, collaboration and productivity 	Oct	Steve B/Lisa G		
		Articulate assistive technology needs and solutions	Oct-Jan	Lisa G/Sally C	'	•
		Define tech levy timelines and create associated work plans	Nov-Jan	Mike S/Todd H	1	ı
		Draft deployment and implementation plan based on Tech Levy passage	Apr-Jun	Mike S & team		
A2	Continue to define 21 st century learning models through implementation of pilots (student portal, 1:1 & mobile technologies, wireless)	Complete definition of logic model plans for consistent pilot evaluation protocols	Aug	Lisa G & ITF		l
		Implement and support 8 pilots	Aug-Jun		1	•
		Provide professional development to support pilots	Aug-May		'	•
		Collect and report pilot evaluation information	Dec – Jun		1	•
		Recommend policy/practice changes and codify in Standard Operating Procedures manual	Mar	Steve B		
А3	Develop and facilitate professional development to support 21 st century learning	Define professional development outcomes for the 10-11 school year	Aug	Lisa G/Steve S	<u> </u>	_
		 Create year-long plan for professional development delivery to focus on Tiers 2 and 3 of technology integration, and incorporate identified PTL strategies 	Aug	Steve S/ITF		l
		Conduct professional development according to plan	Aug-May	ITF	'	1
		Continue capacity building for teacher librarians as technology leaders	Aug-May	Mark R	1	•
		Support E2T2 grant awardees	Aug-Jun	Eddie S	'	•
		 Increase awareness of technology tools and applications that are supported within VPS to enable 21st century learning outcomes 	Sep-Mar	ITF		l
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